

Sunday, testimonial meeting at 8 p.m.

We Beg to Announce Our ANNUAL PRE-VENTORY SALE which commences TUESDAY, JANUARY 2nd.

In General Dry Goods, Ladies Ready-to-Wear, Men's Furnishings, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Gloves, Mitts and Moccasins, in fact in every Department, excepting Groceries, a Discount of 20 per cent. will be given on every article which is not specially ticketed.

A number of articles, however, will be reduced from one-third to one-half, and all such lines will bear tickets showing the net sale price. A few examples, taken from many, are shown herewith:—

Men's Dress Shirts, all sizes for \$1.19	28-inch Grey Flannel, Per Yard 65c.	3 Yds. Glass Towelling for \$1.00	Men's Spats clearing at \$2.25
Boys' Coat Sweaters \$1.95 and \$2.49	31-inch Striped Ticking, Per Yard 39c.	Boys' Winter Caps, fur lined bands 95c.	Men's Black and Grey Checked Caps with fur bands \$1.10
Women's All Wool Cashmere Hose, in cream only 50c.	Women's Storm Rubbers, per pair 75c.	Men's Lined Work Mitts for 75c.	Men's Soft Tanned Sheep Socks \$1.65
Corduroy Velvets, five or six shades, Per Yard 99c.	Ladies' Pink Nainsook Night Gowns, Each 79c.	Amherst Hockey Boots for Boys \$3.45	Men's Felt Socks, knee length \$1.75
Chamoisette Gloves, winter weights 75c.	Ladies' 1-strap Kid Pumps, low heel, \$3.45	Men's Felt Slippers, per pair \$1.45	An assortment of Ladies' Waists. Values to \$10.00, for \$4.99
Fleeced Black Cotton Serges for Girls, Bloomers, Per Yard 42c.	Children's Moccasins— Sizes 4 to 7 49c. Sizes 8 to 10 75c.	Men's Plaid Felt Slippers, one buckle at ankle, leather soles \$2.10	Men's Heavy Wool Sox for 37½c
4 Pieces "Washwell" Gingham, Per Yard 49c.	Clydella Flannel, Per Yard 49c.	Women's Wool Cashmere Hose, black, Per Pair 67½c	10 only Pairs of Good Pillows for \$2.25 pair
Girls' Tams, assorted shades and shapes, Each \$1.15	Children's Corduroy Leggings for \$1.10	20 Pairs Women's Felt Slippers. Values as high as \$1.75, clearing at \$1.20	Little Daisy Stockings in 4 and 4½ for 25c
56-inch Bleached Table Dowlas, Yd. 65c	3 Yds. Turkish Towelling for \$1.00	Assortment of Misses' Slippers, sizes 11 to 2, for 89c	11 only Ladies' Skirts, values to \$13.00, for \$6.50
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EMPIRE TRADE TO BE SOLUTION OF PRESENT PROBLEM

Question Is Dealt With by Col. C. C. Armstrong, in London, Eng.

London, Dec. 30.—(By mail).—Col. C. C. Armstrong, retiring president of the British Industries Federation, was the principal guest at a luncheon held in the Caledonian Station hotel, Edinburgh.

Speaking on the question of an extension of trade in the British Empire, Colonel Armstrong said from

the broad imperial point of view there could be no possible doubt that every step we took for the furtherance of inter-imperial trade would in the long run redound to the benefit of the empire as a whole, and of each constituent part. But we must remember that there were many limiting factors to any immediate increase of that trade, and that we must not pick our hopes too high. Recent discussion had referred more particularly to our overseas dominions—Australia, New Zealand, Canada and the Union of South Africa.

Now, the population of these four dominions only amounted to 22,000,000. Although the purchasing power per head in most of the dominions was high (in fact 15½ per cent of our exports), there was an obvious limit to the absorbing capacity of markets with a relatively small population. Again, there must be limits to the productive power of areas, however vast their potential resources, unless these resources could be developed by an adequate population.

It would be unreasonable to expect that we could make a very substantial increase in our trade with these dominions until sufficient time had elapsed for them to increase their populations. That such increase would serve to add strength to the present movements towards fostering local industries was inevitable. They should regard this movement from the broadest point of view, welcome it, and assist it actively by ensuring that such developments were effected by the support of British capital. It should be found, as was already the case to a considerable extent in Canada, that capital had elapsed for them to increase their populations. That such increase would serve to add strength to the present movements towards fostering local industries was inevitable. They should regard this movement from the broadest point of view, welcome it, and assist it actively by ensuring that such developments were effected by the support of British capital. It should be found, as was already the case to a considerable extent in Canada, that capital had

But these conditions were all dependent upon an increase of population, and it was of the greatest importance that the government should, in co-operation with the dominion governments, expand and encourage schemes of emigration to those parts of the empire which were in need of additional population. The war had been an advocate of doing everything which was possible to stimulate and develop our trade within the empire. It had looked to this trade to be eventually the solution of many of our present problems, both economic and political.

ROD AND GUN FOR JANUARY

The January issue of Rod and Gun in Canada, the opening number for 1923, sets a high standard for the subsequent issues to equal. This number is now on sale, and it should please every sportsman. An assortment of splendid features greets the reader. Bonnycastle Dale excels himself in his splendid contribution, "A Christmas Day's Duck Hunting," while "A Trip up the Tata River" is another article that is almost sure to please. Harry M. Moore, the gifted Canadian writer, has never written a better story than "Bones," which is another big attraction in this issue. The various departments, including both features, the fine illustrations—all these help to make up a magazine of quality and excellence.

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VERY LITTLE IMMIGRATION IS EXPECTED COMING YEAR

Large Number of Persons Would Like to Come, but Means are Scarce.

Ottawa, Dec. 27.—That very little immigration to Canada need be looked for during the coming year, or indeed until the economic condition of the world begins to come back to normal, is the impression received from inquiries in the highest official quarters here. All the information which the Department of Immigration has acquired, both in Europe and the United States, indicates strongly that there are large numbers of persons on both continents who would be willing to come to Canada to settle if they had the means, but unless Canada is to embark on a great scheme of assisted immigration, such as Australia has undertaken, involving the expenditure of many millions of dollars, it will likely be some years before we see anything of that great volume of immigration which so many different quarters advise the government to bring here.

MATTER OF FINANCES
The war, and economic conditions following the war, has left the peoples from which the immigrant class draws so impoverished that they are unable to finance a venture to this far-off land, saying nothing of establishing themselves after they get here.

The government has been urged from many quarters to accelerate the flow of people here, and recognizes the necessity of increased population and increased production. The agents of the immigration department abroad, and even in the United States, report that they could get thousands of people willing to come here if they had the means, but unless the country is willing to authorize the expenditure of very large sums, the outlook for any great influx is not bright. Any settlement scheme would require the expenditure of an amount of money which would hardly be justified in the Canadian position. The soldier settlement board put some twenty-two thousand people on the land at an expenditure of around one hundred million dollars, and they were mainly former Canadians who were merely shifted from one sphere to another.

FOLLOW-UP SYSTEM

Another of the soldier settlement plans which will likely be emulated by the department of immigration, is the follow-up system which looks after the settler and tries to keep him on the land after he has been placed there.

In all immigration brought to Canada hereafter this plan will be adopted, and when settlers are placed on the land at some expense, the immigration department will try to see that they remain there.

In the meantime, the government is just doubling its activity in publicity in both the United States and the United Kingdom, including both advertising and lecture work, appealing particularly to those able to finance themselves. Some changes in the agencies in the United States are being made, agents being shifted from points of lesser activity to

those points where the prospects of securing the class of settlers now sought is brighter.

400 TO 500 COMING
A class of immigrant which will be particularly adapted to the maritime portions of Canada is the Highland Scot, who alternates fishing with farming on a small scale. A considerable number of such have been endeavoring to get to Nova Scotia and are asking for some assistance on their passage expenses. The immigration department has arranged to send representatives in Scotland to get in touch with these people and some co-operation will probably be effected through private immigration organizations to furnish the assistance desired. Probably four or five hundred of these immigrants will come out this coming spring.

DUNCAN MARSHALL RETURNS DELIGHTED

Cattle Kings Intend Coming to Canada During Winter to Purchase All Grades of Stock Now That Embargo is Lifted.

St. John, N.B., Dec. 26.—An interesting passenger on the Canadian Pacific steamship Minnedosa, which arrived at St. John, Saturday, was Hon. Duncan Marshall, minister of agriculture for Canada, who has been in England since last September in connection with the cattle embargo negotiations.

Speaking of the embargo on Canadian cattle, he said that his departure for Canada had the pleasure of seeing this important question settled. He said that the lifting of the embargo was watched with the keenest interest throughout the country, and its passage paved the way for a visit to this country of many of the big cattle kings, who announced their intention of coming here during the winter to purchase all grades of stock. All expressed their satisfaction with the removal of the embargo, as well as the gift tidings given them that it was proposed to establish a Canadian quarantine on British pure bred cattle in this country.

Makes Suggestions
Mr. Marshall brings an important suggestion to Canadian cattle men. All those who intend shipping steers next fall should deliver them in the spring. Scotch cattle breeders want them off as they feed them in court. Cattle being shipped in the spring require this. Judgment will have to be exercised by the Canadian shipper because of the fact that in England and Scotland they want different weight and age. These matters, however, he said, can be readily handled, as proper advice will be forthcoming from his department and also from information which can be gained from the buyers coming here after the first of the year.

That there is much interest throughout Great Britain in all lines of Canadian farm produce is evident, Mr. Marshall says, and therefore a great deal depends on the provincial and Dominion governments to improve their markets.

Mr. Marshall was a guest at the annual meeting of the Edinburgh fat stock show, and, in an address, told them of the proposal to remove the Canadian quarantine on British pure bred cattle. He said the remarks were greeted with outbursts of applause.

CANADIAN PACIFIC TRAIN SERVICE

General Change in Train Service, effective Sunday, September 17th, 1922.

Times for trains at Red Deer will be:

Northbound:		
Daily	Arrive	Leave
No. 521	4:55 a.m.	5:00 a.m.
No. 525	5:40 p.m.	6:45 p.m.
Daily except Sundays—		
No. 522	12:10 p.m.	12:20 p.m.
Southbound:		
Daily	5:02	4:30 a.m.
No. 524	10:45 a.m.	10:55 a.m.
Daily except Sundays—		
No. 526	4:30 p.m.	4:15 p.m.
Red Deer—Rocky Mountain House	Monday, Wednesday, Friday—No. 613.	Leave at 12:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday—No. 614	Arrive at 2:40 p.m.	

For further particulars apply to any Ticket Agent.

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C.N.R. TIME TABLE

West	East
Mon., Wed. and Fri.	Tues., Thurs. and Sat.
Read Down	Read Up
6:30 a.m.	Big Valley 1:15 p.m.
7:20 a.m.	Ar. Warden Lv. 6:30 p.m.
8:15 a.m.	Ar. Warden Lv. 5:40 p.m.
9:00 a.m.	Ar. Warden Lv. 4:55 p.m.
9:40 a.m.	Ar. Warden Lv. 4:22 p.m.
10:20 a.m.	Ar. Warden Lv. 3:33 p.m.
10:45 a.m.	Ar. Warden Lv. 3:12 p.m.
11:40 a.m.	Ar. Warden Lv. 2:04 p.m.
12:10 p.m.	Ar. Red Deer Lv. 1:35 p.m.
12:35 p.m.	Ar. Red Deer Lv. 1:05 p.m.
2:02 p.m.	Ar. Red Deer Lv. 11:45 a.m.
2:50 p.m.	Ar. Red Deer Lv. 10:45 a.m.
3:35 p.m.	Ar. Red Deer Lv. 9:55 a.m.
4:15 p.m.	Ar. Red Deer Lv. 9:05 a.m.
4:45 p.m.	Ar. Red Deer Lv. 8:30 a.m.
5:45 p.m.	Ar. Red Deer Lv. 7:30 a.m.
7:10 p.m.	Ar. Red Deer Lv. 6:05 a.m.
7:40 p.m.	Ar. Red Deer Lv. 5:25 a.m.
8:15 p.m.	Ar. Red Deer Lv. 5:00 a.m.

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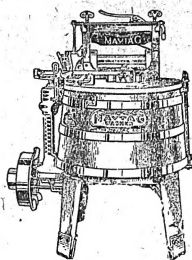
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DEATHS

NORTHEY—Died, on Friday, Dec. 29, 1922, at the home of her son, Mr. B. Northey, of Balmoral, Mary Ellen Northey, aged 65 years, 9 months. A funeral service, conducted by the Rev. W. G. Brown, was held from the Presbyterian church on Tuesday, January 2nd, at 2 o'clock, after which the remains were laid to rest in the Red Deer Burial Park. The Jacques-Orme Funeral Home, directors of Funeral Service.

BOURNE—Died, in this city, on Sunday, December 31, 1922, Lumby Bourne, aged 9 months, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Bourne, of Penhold, Alta. The remains were forwarded to Innisfail, Alta., where interment will take place. The Jacques-Orme Funeral Home, Directors of Funeral Service.

HAZZLETT—Died, in this city, on Tuesday, January 2nd, 1923, Magnus, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hazlett, of Red Deer. A funeral service will be held from the Jacques-Orme Funeral Home, this (Wednesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock, after which interment will take place at the Red Deer Burial Park.

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The Red Deer News,
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Dear Sirs,—
On behalf of the patients of the Hospital for Returned Soldiers, Red Deer, receipt of the following Christmas donations are kindly and respectfully acknowledged:
1. L.D.B.E. (Sir Chris. Craddock Chapter), mixed nuts and candy.
S.O.R., Toronto, 50 Christmas boxes, 1 Union Jack flag.
Red Cross Society, Calgary, 35 tins tobacco; 150 packets gum, 35 pipes, 15 packets playing cards.
Red Deer Grocery, Red Deer, 2 bundles Jap oranges.
Campbell, Wilson & Horse, Red Deer, pair of candy.
Wilson & Teasdale (Alberta Meat Market) 2 turkeys.
Kindly accept our sincere thanks for your interest and kindly help in making this Christmas season of 1922 one of remembrance. We extend to you a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Yours sincerely,
D. L. DIOR,
Medical Superintendent.
December 27th, 1922.

MAYOR COLLISON'S NEW YEAR GREETING

To the Ratepayers of the City
of Red Deer:
Ladies and Gentlemen:

I think it only proper that I should avail myself of the columns of the press to congratulate you on the magnificent effort you have made in tax payment, and to inform you that you have far exceeded our fondest expectations. You have paid in on current taxes for 1922 \$7,559.21, exceeding last year by nearly \$10,000.00, and the largest current tax collection of any year by over \$5,000.00.

The Commissioner still expects about \$15,000.00 in by making, reducing that to \$10,000.00, to about \$15,000.00, or under. This, to my mind, shows the real spirit of the people of Red Deer that during the most strenuous of all the years in business that they are able to exceed every previous effort.

The school has been paid its full demand, all debentures paid, all accounts paid to date.
I constitute this effort to mean that if the Council does its part to keep the taxes within reasonable bounds, the citizens will do their share.

We may have passed the "worst" in 1922, but it is not yet over. It still holds for us difficult and trying conditions, but we go forward with a faith in the city and its citizens never before at stake.

I wish you all and each of you a Very Happy and Prosperous New Year.

DR. J. COLLISON, Mayor.

A WHIFF OF HONOLULU

Cuthbert Row, who left for Honolulu, T. H., some time ago, sends the News an old Christmas card in the shape of a coconut nut in his own garden. It is surrounded by the outer shell, and looks very much like a rugby football. It is a very curious looking object and almost as hard as wood. The address on the card is in Honolulu, and says that all kinds of tropical fruit grows there. He, on behalf of his wife and himself, extends his warmest wishes to all his old friends.

THE REV. CLAUDE STENT

Word has been received that Claude Stent, formerly of this city, has passed his final examinations for the degree of B. D. He has been acting as curate of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Akron, Iowa, and as the rector is leaving for the Bishop has asked him to remain as priest in charge for the present. The church is a very fine one and the congregation wealthy, the annual budget being \$35,000. The News and the many other friends of Claude Stent, his mother, who is living with him, will be glad to hear of his success, and will wish him continued prosperity in his new home.

MASONIC INSTALLATION

At an emergent meeting of Red Deer Lodge No. 12, A.F. & A.M., and Cavell Lodge No. 125, Delburne, held in the Masonic hall, Red Deer, on Wednesday evening, December 27, Rt. Wor. Bro. P. M. Fowler, assisted by Wor. Bro. W. J. Stenhouse, installed the following officers for the ensuing year:
Red Deer Lodge No. 12
W.M.—Wor. Bro. J. R. MacCrostie
L.P.M.—Wor. Bro. R. E. Welton
S.W.—Bro. R. A. Van Slyke
J.W.—Bro. Geo. Ely
Secretary—Wor. Bro. G. A. Ayres
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S.D.—Bro. T. Edis
J.D.—Bro. H. B. George
S.S.—Bro. W. E. Trueman
J.S.—Bro. R. V. Lancaster
Chaplain—Bro. R. E. James
Tyler—Bro. D. A. Smith
D.C.—Bro. A. B. Mitchell
Auditors—Bro. H. J. Bayly and H. B. George.
Cavell Lodge No. 125
W.M.—Wor. Bro. J. McFarlane
L.P.M.—Wor. Bro. Bro. Franklin
J.W.—Bro. Geo. Spires
J.V.—Bro. Wm. McManis
Secretary—Bro. M. J. Manning
Treasurer—Bro. L. Smith
S.D.—Bro. H. Joist
J.D.—Bro. F. L. Lloyd
S.S.—Bro. Wm. McKay
J.S.—Bro. J. R. Smith
Chaplain—Bro. W. J. Whelan
Tyler—Bro. S. J. Smith
D.C.—Bro. E. W. Collette
Auditors—Bro. H. G. Groulx
A pleasant feature of the gathering was the presentation of a fountain pen and pencil to Bro. G. A. Ayres in recognition of his successful and other work for the brethren.

CONDOR NEWS

The whole district was much affected by the sudden death of Mrs. Avery, and Bert Avery has our deepest sympathy.

Prairie Rose, Shady Lane and Daisy Nook have all had very successful Xmas trees for the school children.

We are very glad to hear that Miss Uchida is to remain as teacher of Daisy Nook school.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Frost spent Christmas in Calgary with their two daughters and oldest son.

The community hall is nearing completion, so keep your eyes open for the big opening about the middle of January.

The elevator is still running at full pressure, besides which cars of grain are being loaded at the loading platform.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bice took a trip to Calgary to consult a specialist in regard to Mrs. Bice's health.

Owing to some slight irregularity in the election of officers for the Condor Ladies' Institute, another election was held last Thursday. Mrs. Frost was elected president, Mrs. McCall vice-pres., and Mrs. Giedhill secretary.

POPLAR RIDGE

Sam Hart has gone to Leddale to work for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunt have moved into their new house.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray and Miss Dorothy spent Xmas with Mr. and Mrs. Tove at Sylvan Lake.

Mrs. Kirkland and children from town spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Bone.

Miss Mabel Soderman from Camrose Normal spent the holidays here with her parents.

Levi Atkins died at Yank. B. C. December 25th. Relatives have our sympathy in their sad bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Finch, and Mr. and Mrs. Soderman spent Xmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. Lamont.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Neal from Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Neal from town spent Xmas with Mr. and Mrs. W. Christian.

WASKASOO ENTERTAINMENT

The annual Christmas tree and entertainment held recently by the Waskasoo School was a huge success. The school had been packed to its fullest capacity. Mr. E. Kirk occupied the chair, and after a few remarks, opened the program with a welcome speech by Martha Fleming. The various drills, recitations, dialogues and songs by the children were all given in a very pleasing manner, reflecting great credit upon their teacher, Miss McLennan.

After the program, Santa Claus made his appearance, to the greatest delight of all the children, and distributed the presents and all the "goodies" of a beautifully decorated tree.

Refreshments were then served by the ladies, and the evening wound up with a jolly little dance.

78th BATTERY, CANADIAN FIELD ARTILLERY

Battery orders by Major R. C. Lister, M.C., M.M., week ending Saturday, January 6th, 1923.

1. Parade—Parade for drill will be held on Wednesday and Friday evenings of this week, and thereafter on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings of each week.

2. Clothing—Clothing may be drawn by those in possession of a signed regulation for same. The Quartermaster-Sergeant will be at stores each drill night for the purpose of issuing clothing.

3. Royal School of Artillery—Those desirous of attending the next course at the Royal School of Artillery, Winnipeg, are requested to hand in their names at once.

4. Gun Layers—Those desirous of becoming qualified gun layers are required to attend drills regularly, and to practice on the new indoor target. 25 ammunition is available for this practice.

R. C. LISTER, Major.

Reports received by the French foreign office of conversations with Premier Mussolini in Rome were said Thursday to indicate that the Italian premier may be prevented by questions of interior politics from attending next Tuesday's conference of premiers in Paris.

Valentino in Superb Picture

"The Young Rajah" Affords Star Two Excellent Character Roles.

One of the strongest stellar selections for Rudolph Valentino, yet selected, is the enthusiastic opinion of the producers regarding "The Young Rajah," a new Paramount picture which will be shown at the popular theatre next Friday and Saturday.

Three other notable features make this picture one of the strongest in which Mr. Valentino has yet appeared, under Paramount auspices. The story is the famous novel, "Annam," by J. A. Mitchell, which proved one of the most successful American works of fiction, it was adapted to the screen by June Mathis, the adaptor of "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," "Blood and Sand" and other Valentino pictures. The cast is unusually large and includes many prominent and popular players, including Wanda Hawley, Bertram Grassby, Charles Ogle, Pat Moore, George P. O'Neil, Jimmy McInelly, George Field, Philip Stevens, Robert Ober, and several others.

RED DEER HOLDS CUP

One of the keenest and closest games ever played for the MacDonald Cup was staged last night, when the Calgary Curling Club put up a big fight for the cup. At the conclusion of the sixteenth end the game was a tie. An extra end for tie trials resulted in Fulton coming out two ahead and Brown one down, Red Deer winning by one point. The score stood:

Fulton 37
Coutts 25
Brown 13
Savage 10
Red Deer 29, Calgary 28.

This makes five consecutive wins for Red Deer.

HAI HAI HAI HOI HOI OH, GEE! WOULDN'T THAT MAKE YOU LAFF?

Dear Sirs—
Some time ago The News had an item in stating that Meyers and wife were contemplating a trip around the world via Eastern Canada and a part of the United States. The Advocate enlarged on it a little by saying we saw newspaper at all, that we are going around the world and its going to cost us \$5,000.00. Now, in case that should keep on growing until it got to China—what an item it would be! Hai Hai!—Now in case that we do not feel anything, we will say that on the 5th day of January, 1923, if all is well, we expect to leave Red Deer for Toronto via Calgary, from there to New York City, thence to St. Louis, Mo., thence to Kansas City, and about 200 miles south into Oklahoma.

Thence back to St. Louis, and from there to Grand Rapids, Mich., via Chicago, thence from there to Toronto via Jackson and Detroit. Then from Toronto home via Winnipeg and Edmonton with stopover privileges on the way. So why the Chief of Police will paste this in his hat, in case he should want us, he will know where to find us. And further, we are sure that if the good Lord will give us health enough, and the people give us wealth enough, and the cars will ride us around the country on a rail—then we will be back here in the spring, and will join you in the ring at the good old Sylvan Lake resort (in the summer) with out fail.

Good-bye.

MEYERS AND WIFE.

Railway News

Toronto.—It is announced that Mr. G. S. Beer, C. P. R. city passenger agent, under District Passenger Agent William Fulton, has been promoted to the post of assistant district passenger agent. Mr. Fulton now has two assistants in his territory.

Medicine Hat, Alberta.—An expenditure of about \$50,000 is represented by the extension to the Canadian Pacific Railway roundhouse and the construction of a Canadian's mechanical coal yard, and that sum is about equally divided between the two improvements. In both instances the work has given much employment to local men and there is still a considerable amount of inside work to be done in connection with the extension to the roundhouse.

Renfrew, Ontario.—Mr. Ed. Williams, Canadian Pacific Railway baggage master, who in addition to his regular duties, takes care of the flower garden which attracts so much favorable comment from travellers over the line, has secured another triumph. Mr. Williams has just been notified that his plot has been awarded second prize in the Quebec district, as one of the best of the road. During the past few years Mr. Williams has carried off a number of first prizes but the competition is growing keener year by year.

St. Thomas, Ontario.—Work has been commenced on the construction of a new addition to the C.P.R. yards east of the city, in the form of an 800-foot repair track at an expenditure of approximately \$15,000. The grading work which is being done by Irwin and Son of this city, was started recently. This extension is necessary to cope with the increased business and also to facilitate the repairing of cars. It is also understood that the addition of the new tracks will result in several more employees being added to the C.P.R. repair gang.

A small track about 80 feet long will also be erected alongside the new tracks to be used in case of an emergency. The new track will hold at least forty cars. Four teams and about twenty men are engaged in rushing this work to completion.

HOUSE TO RENT—ON 3rd ST. S.E. 12 rooms, plastered. Electric light. Good well. Apply Phone R1305, or P.O. Box 406, Red Deer.

CHOICE YOUNG PIGS, 6 WEEKS OLD. \$2.50 each; 6 for \$20.00.—Ed. Ople, E. 4 13-28-23, W. 4th M. Red Deer, Dec. 11, 1922.

LOST, ON DECEMBER 6th, GOLD bowled glasses in case. Finder please return to News Office. Reward. Dec. 20.

VALE LOCK KEYS AND POST Office keys out to let, by P. M. Hayhoe, Heating and Tinsmithing, Red Deer. Dec. 20.

WANTED—TEACHER FOR EVARTS School, No. 736. Salary \$1,000 as per ordinance. Duties to commence January 8th. Apply, with references, to Wm. Robertson, Sec. Treas., Evarts, Alta. Dec. 20.

STRAYED FROM RED DEER, LAST fall, dark bay mare, weight about 400 lbs., small, white hind foot. Not branded. Reward of \$5 on return to old Chapman barn. Red Deer, Jan. 2, 1923, 19.

WANTED TO PURCHASE, FULLY equipped farm, cattle and grazing lease, or in exchange for business-producing property. Red Deer, Jan. 2, 1923, 19.

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